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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Date November 4, 2003

In re the Application of

Aulis PERALA

Group Art Unit: 1723

Application No.: 09/986,422

Examiner: M. Ocampo

Filed: November 8, 2001

Docket No.: 111075

For: FIBER CLOTH AND REPLACEABLE FILTER MODULE

**LARGE ENTITY PETITION FOR 1<sup>st</sup> - 3<sup>rd</sup> EXTENSION  
OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) AND  
TRANSMITTAL OF FEE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.17**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a response to the outstanding Official Action in the above-identified patent application. The shortened statutory period having expired September 4, 2003, an extension of time for a period of 2 months is hereby requested. Attached hereto is our Check No. 147936 in the amount of \$420.00 in payment for:

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